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**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL**
(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 04645.1003

First Inventor Palazzo et al.

Title Use of Heat-Treated Electrodes Containing

Express Mail Label No. EE209745109US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See CFR 1.27.
3. Specification [Total Pages / 30]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings *(if filed)*
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawing(s) *(35 USC 113)* [Total Sheets / 6]
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 a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 b. Copy from a prior application *(37 CFR 1.63(d))*
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
 i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
 Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program *(Appendix)*
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. paper
 - c. Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. English Translation Document *(if applicable)*
12. Information Disclosure Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
13. Preliminary Amendment
14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent
17. Other: Checks for \$920.00 and \$40.00

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76

Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of the prior application No.

Prior application information Examiner _____ Group/Art Unit _____

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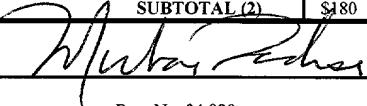
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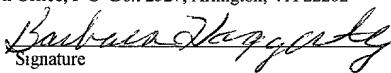
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107 510 207 255 Plant filing fee		\$	117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	\$
108 740 208 370 Reissue filing fee		\$	118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	\$
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6. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Extra Fee from Claims below		Fee Paid						
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Independent Claims /3/-3** = /0/ x /84/ =		\$0	121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	\$
Multiple dependent / / x / / =		\$	138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	\$
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103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20		143	460	243	230		Design issue fee	\$
102 84 202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3		144	620	244	310		Plant issue fee	\$
104 280 204 140 Multiple dependent claim if not paid		122	130	122	130		Petitions to the Commissioner	\$
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